Welfare schemes for farmers

1950. SHRI N.R. GOVINDARAJAR: Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government has conducted any study to assess the number of farmers, who are living below poverty line in the country;

(b) if so, the details thereof, State-wise;

(c) the details of the welfare schemes that are being implemented for the farmers;

(d) the details of the funds released by Government during the last three years and the current year, State-wise and scheme-wise; and

(e) the number of farmers benefited therefrom?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI KANTI LAL BHURIA): (a) and (b) According to estimates of the Planning Commission, 30.53 per cent of persons belonging to farmers households were living below the poverty line during 2003. This estimate is based on the results of 'Situation Assessment Survey of Farmers' conducted by the National Sample Survey Organization. State-wise above data are not available.

(c) to (e) A number of Centrally Sponsored Schemes *viz.* Macro Management of Agriculture (MMA), Integrated Scheme of Oilseeds, Pulses, Oilpalm and Maize (ISOPOM), Technology Mission on Cotton (TMC), National Horticulture Mission, Technology Mission for Integrated Development of Horticulture in North Eastern Region including Sikkim, Jammu and Kashmir, Himachal Pradesh and Uttarakhand, Micro Irrigation and State Extension Programmes for Extension Reforms are under implementation in the country for the benefit of farmers. The schemes raise the farm income and thereby the well-being of farmers including those below poverty line.

The details of funds released under the major Centrally Sponsored Schemes during the last three years, State-wise are given in attached Statements I-VII (*See* below). The schemes are implemented by the State Governments who maintained the list of beneficiaries.

Statement-I

Funds released under Macro Management of Agriculture Scheme

(Rs. in lakhs)

Sl. No.	State	2004-05	2005-06	2006-07	2007-08 (up to 30.10.2007)
1	2	3	4	5	6
1.	Andhra Pradesh	4702.31	7707.69	2541.54	2600.00
2.	Arunachal Pradesh	1214.15	1420.00	2200.00	1325.00
3.	Assam	1661.93	860.00	1000.00	0.00
4.	Bihar	1786.51	850.00	1564.37	1200.00
5.	Jharkhand	2458.75	906.00	830.00	850.00

1	2	3	4	5	6
6.	Goa	280.53	332.59	385.77	150.00
7.	Gujarat	5305.61	4850.00	2330.84	4350.00
8.	Haryana	1813.68	1460.00	2700.00	1125.00
9.	Himachal Pradesh	1600.00	1700.00	2770.59	1150.00
10.	Jammu & Kashmir	2285.38	2250.00	3351.50	1120.00
11.	Karnataka	11872.44	4702.58	5214.24	3505.00
12.	Kerala	4583.19	5950.00	1350.00	1265.00
13.	Madhya Pradesh	7224.76	2550.00	3963.00	3250.00
14.	Chhattisgarh	5359.23	2775.00	1129.76	1175.00
15.	Maharashtra	17225.59	10328.01	11751.30	6225.00
16.	Manipur	1146.16	1785.40	2200.00	1325.00
17.	Mizoram	1821.64	1950.00	2300.00	1500.00
18.	Meghalaya	1223.18	800.00	900.00	925.00
19.	Nagaland	1768.00	1800.00	2221.04	1500.00
20.	Orissa	4036.54	2300.00	3550.00	1650.00
21.	Punjab	996.54	0.00	426.00	650.00
22.	Rajasthan	11955.30	6255.00	8212.55	4300.00
23.	Sikkim	861.80	1422.00	2000.00	1200.00
24.	Tamil Nadu	5137.01	3670.00	6337.70	2725.00
25.	Tripura	1699.91	1861.56	2000.00	1200.00
26.	Uttar Pradesh	8888.67	7423.23	5668.14	4050.00
27.	Uttarakhand	2361.06	1787.87	3144.37	1325.00
28.	West Bengal	3152.65	2500.00	3190.00	1750.00

Statement-II

Funds released under Integrated scheme of Oilseeds, Pulses, Oilpalm and Maize (ISOPOM)

(Rs. in lakhs)

Sl. No.	Name of the State	2004-05	2005-06	2006-07	2007-08 (up to 30.10.2007)
1	2	3	4	5	6
1.	Andhra Pradesh	3559.97	4816.50	4542.00	3000.00
2.	Assam	4.00	3.00	0.00	0.00
3.	Bihar	145.00	245.00	385.00	550.00

1	2	3	4	5	6
4.	Goa	10.00	16.50	0.00	0.00
5.	Gujarat	1883.00	1850.00	975.00	750.00
6.	Haryana	497.00	434.00	411.00	600.00
7.	H.P.	40.00	75.50	75.00	50.00
8.	J & K	85.00	142.50	0.00	0.00
9.	Karnataka	2155.00	1800.00	2700.00	1249.99
10.	Kerala	5.00	7.50	15.00	0.00
11.	M.P.	2925.00	2400.00	3750.00	1250.00
12.	Chhattisgarh	625.00	400.00	675.00	250.70
13.	Maharashtra	1040.00	2739.00	925.00	1125.00
14.	Mizoram	107.00	90.00	102.87	137.13
15.	Orissa	455.00	500.00	525.00	250.00
16.	Punjab	52.50	87.50	0.00	0.00
17.	Rajasthan	2000.00	2840.00	2934.50	1800.00
18.	Tamil Nadu	990.00	1245.00	1345.00	900.00
19.	Tripura	5.00	7.00	0.00	0.00
20.	Uttar Pradesh	785.00	1065.00	1115.00	1200.00
21.	West Bengal	260.00	450.00	674.50	400.00

Statement-III

Funds released under Technology Mission on Cotton (TMC-MM-II)

(Rs. in lakhs)

Sl. No.	State	2004-05	2005-06	2006-07	2007-08 (up to 30.10.2007)
1	2	3	4	5	6
1.	Andhra Pradesh	571.16	570.52	1227.91	387.97
2.	Gujarat	773.04	812.42	1095.11	1072.18
3.	Haryana	112.50	270.43	223.17	232.26
4.	Karnataka	478.58	500.00	438.62	145.03
5.	Madhya Pradesh	483.28	302.35	377.70	178.38
6.	Maharashtra	771.44	763.00	989.93	1434.82

1	2	3	4	5	6
7.	Orissa	40.00	78.97	120.41	123.77
8.	Punjab	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
9.	Rajasthan	231.25	392.87	548.11	0.00
10.	Tamil Nadu	342.94	338.45	290.54	288.00
11.	Tripura	22.00	15.00	32.00	0.00
12.	Uttar Pradesh	40.00	35.00	40.00	0.00
13.	West Bengal	38.59	92.77	40.00	138.19

Statement-IV

Funds released under National Horticulture Mission

(Rs. in lakhs)

Sl. No.	Name of the State	2005-06	2006-07	2007-08 (up to 30.10.2007)
1	2	3	4	5
1.	Andhra Pradesh	4420.96	7500.00	7226.33
2.	Bihar	3100.00	3500.00	269.72
3.	Chhattisgarh	2367.83	5500.00	4253.48
4.	Gujarat	3239.28	2577.03	1646.69
5.	Goa	315.20	200.00	3.59
6.	Haryana	1050.00	3480.00	2245.98
7.	Jharkhand	3030.00	4000.00	0.00
8.	Karnataka	4455.17	8448.25	935.21
9.	Kerala	3533.98	7959.53	512.82
10.	M.P.	2839.77	4291.75	4045.75
11.	Maharashtra	8260.28	14492.65	8731.98
12.	Orissa	3611.91	4450.00	3365.91
13.	Punjab	2868.82	1150.00	2162.89
14.	Rajasthan	2259.57	3837.93	2264.45
15.	Tamil Nadu	3891.67	6450.00	5076.00
16.	Uttar Pradesh	5340.25	1500.00	6530.67
17.	West Bengal	4035.31	4600.00	203.13

NOTE: New Scheme—Launched in 2005-06

Statement-V

Funds released under Technology Mission for Integrated Development of Horticulture in North-Eastern States including Sikkim, Uttarakhand, Himachal Pradesh and Jammu & Kashmir (MM-II)

(Rs. in lakhs)

Sl. No.	State	2004-05	2005-06	2006-07	2007-08 (up to 30.10.2007)
1	2	3	4	5	6
1.	Arunachal Pradesh	1645.55	1300.00	1612.90	1157.20
2.	Assam	871.00	1300.00	1400.00	1009.98
3.	Manipur	1286.25	1500.00	1700.00	895.00
4.	Mizoram	1801.10	1800.00	3200.00	1550.00
5.	Meghalaya	1395.99	1700.0	2000.00	575.00
6.	Nagaland	1875.00	1700.00	2356.00	1235.00
7.	Sikkim	1150.00	1800.00	2331.00	700.00
8.	Tripura	1111.30	1500.00	1400.00	337.72
9.	Uttarakhand	975.00	1100.00	4000.00	700.00
10.	Himachal Pradesh	1300.00	1100.00	4000.00	1500.00
11	Jammu & Kashmir	1233.00	1550.00	2933.00	00.00

Statement-VI

Funds released under Support to State Extension Programmes for Extension Reforms

(Rs. in lakhs)

Sl. No.	Name of the State	Released 2005-06	Released 2006-07	Released 2007-08 (up to 30.10.2007)
1	2	3	4	5
1.	Andhra Pradesh	223.00	467.00	2471.00
2.	Arunachal Pradesh	73.00	126.00	0.00
3.	Assam	160.00	0.00	0.00
4.	Bihar	176.00	239.10	0.00
5.	Jharkhand	163.00	157.00	116.00
6.	Gujarat	116.00	194.00	52.00

1	2	3	4	5
7.	Goa	27.00	0.00	0.00
8.	Haryana	123.00	116.00	0.00
9.	Himachal Pradesh	122.0	183.00	222.00
10.	Jammu & Kashmir	104.00	0.00	0.00
11.	Karnataka	180.00	155.00	125.00
12.	Kerala	80.00	117.00	0.00
13.	Madhya Pradesh	297.00	294.00	0.00
14.	Chhattisgarh	125.00	110.00	0.00
15.	Maharashtra	231.00	383.00	754.00
16.	Manipur	59.00	0.00	55.00
17.	Mizoram	49.50	118.60	37.00
18	Meghalaya	14.00	0.00	0.00
19.	Nagaland	61.00	50.00	0.00
20.	Orissa	255.00	419.00	561.00
21.	Punjab	159.00	133.00	189.00
22.	Rajasthan	231.00	242.00	392.00
23.	Sikkim	39.00	65.00	0.00
24.	Tamil Nadu	128.00	263.00	399.00
25.	Tripura	22.00	0.00	0.00
26.	Uttar Pradesh	547.00	601.00	816.00
27.	Uttarakhand	149.00	182.00	0.00
28.	West Bengal	92.00	193.00	177.00

NOTE: New Scheme—launched in 2005-06

Statement-VII

Funds released under Micro Irrigation

(Rs. in lakhs)

Sl. No.	Name of the State	Released 2005-06	Released 2006-07	Released 2007-08 (up to 30.10.2007)
1	2	3	4	5
1.	Andhra Pradesh	6129.22	19519.68	2089.13

1	2	3	4	5
2.	Bihar	—	2482.10	0.00
3.	Jharkhand	—	2456.75	0.00
4.	Gujarat	2182.00	3355.9	7349.60
5.	Goa	—	12.13	0.00
6.	Haryana	—	443.89	0.00
7.	Chhattisgarh	—	3032.88	0.00
8.	Karnataka	3584.11	2456.75	1384.37
9.	Kerala	3200.00	636.30	0.00
10.	M.P.	580.33	401.16	0.00
11	Maharashtra	4808.06	8796.55	8524.95
12.	Orissa	—	454.26	0.00
13.	Punjab	566.13	—	127.05
14.	Rajasthan	1048.00	2833.34	946.71
15.	Tamil Nadu	4290.96	1200.64	0.00
16.	Uttar Pradesh	1241.74	—	0.00
17.	West Bengal	—	195.67	0.00

NOTE: New Scheme—launched in 2005-06

Himalyan and NE States are not covered under CSS on Micro Irrigation.

NFSM in Jharkhand

1951. MS. MABEL REBELLO: Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) the number of districts of Jharkhand which are included in National Food security Mission (NFSM) alongwith the details thereof, crop-wise;

(b) how much productivity of foodgrain would be increased in Jharkhand due to the inclusion of the districts in NFSM; and

(c) whether Government has a perspective plan to increase the production of foodgrain by way of improved seeds, fertilizers , levelling of land, etc. alongwith the details thereof, crop-wise and areawise?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI KANTI LAL BHURIA): (a) to (c) Centrally Sponsored Scheme **"National Food Security Mission (NFSM)" has been launched in 305 identified districts of 16 States from Rabi 2007-08 with an aim to increase the additional production of 20 million tonnes of foodgrains, comprising of 10 million tonnes of rice, 8 million tonnes of wheat and 2 million tonnes of pulses by the end of Eleventh Plan (2011-12). The National Food Security Mission (NFSM) has three components** *viz.* **National Food security Mission-Rice (NFSM-Rice), National Food Security Mission-Wheat (NFSM-Wheat) and National Food Security Mission-Pulses (NFSM-Pulses).**